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### Southwest Expo. to Be Magnet

Visitors from All Over World to Attend Long Beach Event

Long Beach, Calif., May 17—An influx of travelers from the West Indies is anticipated this summer as a result of the widespread publicity given the Pacific Southwest Exposition by steamship lines touching ports in Cuba, Porto Rico and other islands in the Caribbean Sea. The West Indies Shipping and Trading Company, which represents the Panama-Pacific line in Cuba as well as a number of other steamship companies, is conducting an intensive drive to encourage travel to California, according to Carlos Bacarisse, traffic manager.

Like assurances are being received from heads of tourist bureaus and carriers throughout the United States, it was announced today by John H. Chalmers, associate general chairman of the board of control. These reports have come from such large centers in the middle west and east as Chicago, St. Louis, Detroit, Cleveland and St. Paul.

While preparations for the exposition, which will open July 27 and continue during August, are going forward rapidly, chief interest at present is centered on the pageant and celebration May 28 to mark the dedication of the world-wide event.

The dedicatory ceremonies will attract notables representing states, nations and scores of communities. It is expected to be the biggest event of its kind ever held in Long Beach and one of the most significant ever held in the Pacific Southwest.

Governor C. G. Young will deliver the principal address. President Coolidge will be represented by army and navy officials. The governors or their personal representatives from the eleven western states will attend, as well as the entire consular corps of San Francisco and foreign envoys stationed in Los Angeles.

In the pageant itself more than 100 floats are already entered. Twenty-five bands, a score of marching units, representatives of educational, industrial, community and kindred organizations will participate.

The new Canadian battleship Vancouver, as well as naval representatives of other foreign lands are to take part and a detachment of troops from Fort MacArthur has been ordered by Colonel Willis C. Peace to join in the parade.

A brilliant banquet and international ball will climax the day's festivities.

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#### ARTICLE No. 22

Every once in a while you come across a hand that illustrates many a good point and the following is one of the best:

Hearts—A, K, 7, 2  
Clubs—Q, J, 10, 7  
Diamonds—Q, 10, 4  
Spades—K, Q

Hearts—Q, J, 10  
Clubs—A, 6  
Diamonds—A, 9, 8, 6, 2  
Spades—J, 10, 9

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one no-trump and A made an informative double. A's double is rather doubtful but he has a fair all around hand and help in every suit. Y redoubled. This redouble by Y should be carefully noted. He also has a big no-trump, so that when his partner bid one no-trump and A doubled, Y knows that B must have a very weak hand and that Y-Z probably can defeat any bid B may make.

B's only four-card suit is spades, so he is forced to bid two spades. A redouble does not release a player from bidding when his partner has made an informative double. Please note that Z now doubled two spades and all passed. A might have bid three diamonds but probably felt that this bid also would be redoubled and be just one more trick to make.

Z had the opening lead and decided to lead the king of diamonds. His partner's redouble indicated high cards, so that the lead of the king was a bold try to set up a trick in Y's hand and also to give Z a chance to trump the third round of diamonds. B won the trick in A's hand with the ace, and then led the ace and a small club, hoping to be able to trump a small club in A's hand. Y, however, who won the second club trick was too smart. He led the king and queen of spades and all followed. He then led the queen of diamonds and then his last diamond, which Z trumped. Z then led the ace of spades. This lead exhausted A's spades so that Y-Z now made the king of clubs and the ace king of hearts, setting A-B four hundred points. This is a very pretty hand, both in bidding and play; and should be closely studied. Don't make doubtful informative doubles and don't hesitate to redouble if you hold a big no-trump and your partner's one bid has been doubled. It is on hands such as these that the best penalties are made, so be on the lookout for similar chances.

#### Answer to Problem No. 23

Y : A : B :  
Z :

Hearts—K, Q, J  
Clubs—J, 9, 8, 2  
Diamonds—J, 7, 6, 2  
Spades—K, J

No score first game. What should Z as dealer bid with the foregoing hand? Z should pass. He has a fine all around hand that will support most any bid his partner may make. To bid no-trump with this hand will give partner the wrong impression and perhaps induce him to overbid if the opponents start bidding. If they don't bid, he may pass the no-trump and not bid a suit that may score game. Don't bid no-trump on hands that are as weak as this, for to do so generally causes trouble. If partner has a strong hand he will bid anyhow.

#### Answer to Problem No. 24

Hearts—K, Q, 10, 4  
Clubs—9  
Diamonds—6  
Spades—K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 6

Y : A : B :  
Z :

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and passed. A bid one club, Y bid four spades and B bid five clubs. Z doubled, A passed, Y bid five spades and B bid six clubs. Z doubled. If all passed what should Y lead? Y should lead his king of hearts. Any other lead is very risky. The lead of the singleton diamond is too dangerous, for if A-B hold the ace they may be able to run off trumps and discard their losing spades or hearts. The spade lead is bad for the same reason. Either A or B probably is void of spades and will probably trump the first lead. The chance for making a quick trick is to lead the king of hearts.

#### Answer to Problem No. 25

Y : A : B :  
Z :

Hearts—Q, J, 9, 8, 5, 2  
Clubs—K, J, 9, 7, 6, 2  
Diamonds—A, K, J, 9, 7  
Spades—none

No score, A-B a game in. What should Z as dealer bid with the foregoing hand? Z should bid one heart and then, if overbid, show the diamonds. With a freak hand of this type, a player should bid his longer suit first and thus give his partner a corrective picture of his hand. To bid diamonds first and then hearts makes one's partner guess, and guessing is usually wrong. To prevent mistakes and make it easy for one's partner, bid the longer suit first and then tell him the facts early in the bidding. He is then in a much better position to arrive at the best bid of the combined hands of himself and his partner.

### MISSOURI PICNIC

Under the auspices of the Missouri State Society of Southern California all the "Show Me" people will meet in Bixby Park, Long Beach, all day, Saturday, May 26. Headquarters will be opened for each county in the state and registers provided. Picnickers will carry basket dinners but hot coffee will be supplied free for all who buy the souvenir badges.

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### U. S. Hot After Tax Delinquents

Collector Assigns Deputies to Round Up Dodgers in Southland

Acting under instructions received from Washington, Collector of Internal Revenue, Galen H. Welch yesterday assigned a special squad of deputy collectors operating under Chief Field Deputy James G. Lytle, to round up about 10,000 delinquent income taxpayers in Southern California.

Mr. Welch states these delinquent taxpayers should have filed their 1927 returns on or before March 15 of this year. He suggests that they now file their 1927 returns at once, and thus save themselves a severe penalty as well as much unnecessary annoyance.

The collector believes that there are many taxpayers who do not understand the law and have allowed themselves to become delinquent on that account. Mr. Welch continued, "Briefly the law provides that income tax returns must be filed by the following:

- (1) Every individual, if a single person, whose net income exceeded \$1500.00 during 1927.
- (2) Every married person whose net income exceeded \$3500.00 during 1927, including income both of husband and wife.
- (3) Every individual whose gross income exceeded \$5000.00 during 1927 no matter what his net income, or whether he had a net income or not, and whether married or single."

Mr. Welch states that proper blanks upon which to file returns will be mailed promptly upon request to his office.

Mrs. J. W. Jordan of Glendale entertained her mother, Mrs. Ed. McDonald at a Mother's Day dinner Sunday.

### TORRANCE NEWSLETS

Henry Levy sustained a cracked bone in his foot Sunday, when he stubbed his toe on the beach in Venice.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lepkin were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Fireman in San Pedro recently, when they were guests at a 26th wedding anniversary dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Toms and family of San Diego were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nelson Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Mackenzie spent Sunday in Los Angeles with Mrs. Katherine Moll.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Allen moved last week to 2309 Carson street.

Richard S. Silenoe, who was injured in an auto crash at Hoover and 100th street in Los Angeles Sunday, May 6, is in a serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Eby attended the Consolidated Sales meeting in Long Beach Thursday night.

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